## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION CASE NO. 3:23-CV-781-MOC-DCK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
v.	)	<u>ORDER</u>
APPROXIMATELY \$1,199,530 IN	)	
UNITED STATES CURRENCY,	)	
Defendant.	)	

THIS MATTER IS BEFORE THE COURT on the "Motion For Admission *Pro Hac Vice* and Affidavit" (Document No. 5) filed by Brian Cromwell, concerning Ronald Kirk, on December 18, 2023. Ronald Kirk seeks to appear as counsel *pro hac vice* for Claimant James Whitner, Jr. Upon review and consideration of the motion, which was accompanied by submission of the necessary fee and information, the Court will grant the motion.

**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that in accordance with Local Rule 83.1, the "Motion For Admission *Pro Hac Vice* and Affidavit" (Document No. 5) is **GRANTED**. Ronald Kirk is hereby admitted *pro hac vice* to represent Claimant James Whitner, Jr.

SO ORDERED.

Signed: December 18, 2023

David C. Keesler

United States Magistrate Judge